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In re application of Gregory Clegg Spooner

Serial No. 10/664,579

Filed: September 17, 2003

For: Sweeping Appliance

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Sir: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

The present amendment is being filed in regards to the utility application identified above. Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.